ity for about fifteen years. He was thirty-eight years old. Funeral serv-Word has been received here of the ices are to be held at St. John's Monleath in Baltimore, Sunday, of Richard astery, Baltimore, tomorrow morning. I. Ward, formerly a machinist in the He leaves his wife, Mrs. Annie Ward,

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Should It Be Required, Secre-

tary Daniels Says.

Congress call for increasing the un-'ull 1,200 capacity of the institution. nt of new junior officers necessary or the proposed increases of the fleet. Mr. Daniels said, however, that if there were no international disarmament

were to continue battleship building on a competitive basis a new academy to turn out increasing numbers of navy efficers would be necessary. He felt, he said, that the present institution should not be called upon to deal with more than 1,200 men in order to obtain the best results.

Senator Phelan and Representative Kent of California were preparing bills for a Pacific coast academy, the Secretary said, and had talked the matter over with him, although the question of site was not gone into. site was not gone into.

Commissioners Approve Plans.

Approval was given by the District commissioners today to plans for public comfort station to be located at he intersection of 15th and H streets and Maryland avenue northeast. will be called for within the next ter days and the building, it is expected will be completed within five months. An appropriation of \$5,000 is available for the improvement.

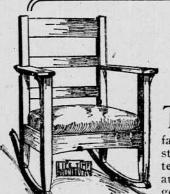
John F. Weyler, former warden of the Maryland penitentiary, and his wife celebrated their golden wedding anni-versary at their home at Rognel

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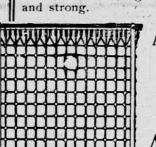
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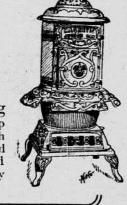
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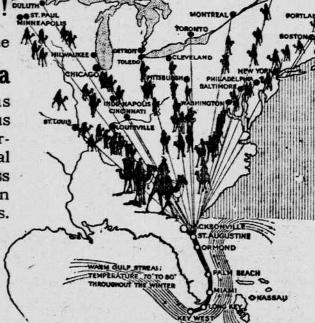
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# GERMAN STATEMENT.

BERLIN, December 28, via London, 3:23 Western theater of war: In Westende-Bad three inhabitants, including two

women, were killed by fire from a enemy monitor.

long the front there were at times lively artillery, hand-grenade and On the Hirzstein a French advance was carried out early this morning.

carried out early this morning. Detailed reports are not yet available. Active railway traffic at the Soissons station was stopped by our artillery. The French have recently provided a hospital, situated in the immediate neighborhood of the railway station, with a Red Cross flag, apparently to protect the railway station. On account of its proximity to the railway station the possibility of the hospital being hit by chance is not excluded.

Eastern theater of war: On the Bere-

cluded.
Eastern theater of war: On the Beresino and northwest of Czartorysk and near Berestiany Russian reconnoitering divisions were repulsed.
Balkan theater of war: The situation is unchanged.

# AUSTRIAN STATEMENT.

VIENNA, December 27, via London, De

Italian theater: The activity of the liner Stockholm, with first-hand news Italian artillery against the south- of the voyage of the peace ark Oscar ern Tyrolean front was much more 11 from New York to Kirkwall. He is vigorous resterday. In the fighting Robert Bastian Bermann of Washingon the eastern heights of the Etsch ton, D. C., who was engaged as a critic valley, south of Rovereto, the enemy of English to supervise all copy before On it was sent out to kings, presidents and Isonzo front there has been iso- other distinguished persons. After the

Southeastern war theater: There have no important events. Fifty-four hundred small arms have been count-

## BRITISH STATEMENT.

ONDON, December 28: A British official statement issued las

The enemy this morning sprung a mine

our artillery bombarded the hostile trenches south of the Lille-Armentieres rallway with good effect. The enemy replied vigorously, but caused little damage. Elsewhere there is normal artillery activity only to report.

### ITALIAN STATEMENT. ROME, December 27, via London, De

which enemy batteries had been reported, and by a well directed fire caused several heavy explosions and steamer. an outburst of flames,

The activity of small detachments

As many as 40,000 words were sent in one day, Mr. Bermann asserted, and he had to read and correct them. Mr. Ford sent as message of 600 words to each of nine rulers of belligerent nations at 50 cents a word, and the bill paid at Kirkwall for the total wireless amounting the night to attack our positions on Monte Zeibusi was promptly stopped by the fire of our troops.

RUSSIAN STATEMENT.

PETROGRAD, via London, December 28:

As many as 40,000 words were sent in one day, Mr. Bermann asserted, and the voil sent a message of 600 words to each of nine rulers of belligerent nations at 50 cents a word, and the bill paid at Kirkwall for the total wireless amounted to \$50,000, the wireless editor declared.

"After we left New York December 4," Mr. Bermann said, "all went well until December 10, when a meeting was held after dinner in the second-class saloon, convened by Rev. Dr. J. Lloyd Jones of Chicago, Rev. Dr. Loyd Jones of Chicago, Rev. Dr. Charles Aked and Mrs. Joseph Fels, as a committee of three to outline plans

# PETROGRAD, via London, Decemi

Vestern front: At Schmarden, in the direction of the coast region, a Russian detachment organized a surprise attack upon a German post. At 4 o'clock in the morning the Russians the wire obstacles in many places, threw themselves upon the German huts, flung hand grenades through the windows, and after a hand-to-hand encounter destroyed the whole post. Six prisoners were taken. In spite of a heavy fire from the south, the Russians retired successfully, with insignificant losses. In the region of Czartorysk station, near a cemetery in the village of Novo Podcherevitch, we annihilated another German post, taking sixteen prisoners.

In the Black sea, near the Bulgarian shore, our torpedo boats destroyed two sailing vessels and bombarded posts upon the shore. The ehemy's submarines attacked our destroyer the Gromkii near the Bulgarian coast. The Gromkii skillfully evaded two torpedoes and repulsed an attack by gunfire. There is reason to bethrew themselves upon the German

two torpedoes and repulsed an attack by gunfire. There is reason to believe that one of the submarines was sunk.

Caucasus front: West of Khamadan our troops occupied the town of Assadahad. In a fight near the village of Rabatkerim, forty versts (about twenty-seven miles) southwest of Teheran, with Persian gendarmes and tribes of Emir Khichmet we took prisoners seventy-one insurgents.

TURKISK STATEMENT,

CONSTANTINOPLE, December 27, via London, December 28:

The Beauth of Rabatker was despined with Mr. McClure and those who agreed with the opposition. At the next meeting Rev. Dr. Jones made a direct charge that Mr. McClure was responsible for the spreading of dissension on the ship. Mr. McClure was defended by Gov. Hanna of North Dakota. Lieut. Gov. Bethea of South Carolina, Mrs. Inez Milholland Boissevain and John D. Barry, who all refused to sign a resolution to be sent to the peace tribunal at The Hague condemning the President's message relating to the program for preparedness.

"The newspaper correspondents were asked to sign the resolution. but de-

Dardanelles front: Friday night our ar-

London, December 28:
Dardanelles front: Friday night our artillery forced a torpedo boat which had bombarded the landing place at Ari Burnu to withdraw. Near Seddul Bahr the enemy fired a considerpedoes. Our artillery destroyed enemy bomb mortars and caused important damage in the first and second line trenches.

ond line trenches.

An enemy cruiser which had repeatedly bombarded Altchetepe and its surroundings was hit four times.

Our batteries in the narrows effectively bombarded the landing places of the Seddul Bahr troops, the concentration places near Morto Liman, enemy trenches near Kereves Dere, reserves west of Eski Hissarlik and a howitzer battery, causing visible damage, and sank two armored boats.

Near Morto Liman Saturday one of our water planes made successful reconnoitering flights over Tenedos, the lsle of Navro and enemy positions near Seddul Bahr, and hit with a bomb a torpedo boat south of Seddul Bahr.

The Constantinople dispatch relating

The Constantinople dispatch relating to the fighting near the Tripoli frontier, as received in London, is identical with that sent out from Berlin by wireless.

### FRENCH STATEMENT. PARIS, December 28:

In the Vosges there is intense activity

on the part of artillery over the whole front. At Hartmans-Weilerkopf, on the southeastern slope of the hill at Rohfelsen, an attempt of the enemy to make sorties from his trenches was arrested by a curtain There were no events of importance

There were no events of importance along the rest of the front.

Last night's /French official statement reads:

In Belgium a fire carried out against the enemy positions between the great dune and the sea gave good results. Parapets were destroyed in several places and a blockhouse on the first German line was blown up.

In Artois last evening we exploded a mine to the northewst of hill 140. The enemy was prevented by us from occupying the crater.

Between the Somme and the Oise our artillery dispersed an enemy detachment to the northeast of Chilly. Between the Somme and Rheims our batteries damaged a German fortified work to the north of Moussy.

In Champagne, near hill 193, after a bombardment, the enemy directed against our lines an attack which was easily repulsed.

In the Vosges, to the north of the Linge, our artillery succeeded in destroying a battery casemate and machine gun shelters. We likewise successfully bombarded trenches of the enemy at Schratzmannele.

SOSTELLO. On Monday, December 27, 1915, at 5:50 a.m., at the residence of his parents, 919 4th street northeast, FRANCIS XAVIER, beloved son of Michael F. and Anna Costelle

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Robert Bastian Bermann Went Warring Kings.

Mr. Ford's staff consisted of twelve

stenographers, four multigraph opera-

tors, five dictaphone opérators, seven

publicity men and six messengers, according to Mr. Bermann, who said that

the staff was kept busy getting out

McClure Starts "Rioting."

Louis P. Lochner, who attended the

meeting as Henry Ford's representa-

Decided to Quit Ship.

cided to return to the United States as

BORN.

DIED.

ABERNETHY. On December 28, 1915, CHRIS-TINE B., aged sixty-four years, beloved wife of Charies Abernethy. Funcral from her late residence, 1215 Florida avenue northeast, on Wednesday, December 28, at 2 p.m. Interment private.

BEACH. Menday, December 27, 1915, at 2:30 a.m., at his residence, 209 Prospect avenue, Mount Vernon, N. Y., WALTER ROGERS BEACH, beloved husband of Anna Yeatman Beach.

BERNHARD. On Monday, December 27, 1915, at 5:15 p.m., at his residence, 917 P street northwest: CHARLES E. BERNHARD, he-loved husband of Helen Bernhard. ( Funeral Thursday, December 30, at 2 p.m., from 917 P street. Friends and relatives invited to attend. 29°

CADY. On Sunday, December 26, 1915, at 12:10 p.m., MARY E., widow of the late Michael Cady, aged sixty-nine years.

Funeral from her late residence, No. 5:24 Jefferson street, Brightwood Park, D. C., on Wednesday, December 29, at 3:30 a.m. Requiem mass at the Church of the Nativity at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited. Interment at Mount Olivet cemetery.

rment at Milford, Conn.

LAMONT. On December 28, 1915, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Palmer Gavit, at En-glewood, N. J., CAROLINE DEUEL LAMONT, aged seventy-three years, daughter of the late NEW YORK, December 28. - The The first member of the Ford expedi-

tion to return to this country arrived

HARKNESS. On Monday, December 27, 1915, at 9 a.m., at his residence, 605 22nd street northwest, JOHN WILLIAMS, beloved husband of Louise Harkness, aged sixty-eight years. Funeral from above residence Wednesday, December 29, at 2,30 p.m. Relatives and friends invited.

HAUGER. On Monday, December 27, 1915, a Homeopathic Hospital, JOSEPHINE L., be loved wife of L. L. Hauger, aged twenty-flye

HENKLE. On Sunday, December 26, 1915, at 8:46 a.m., CLARA K, EMERY, widow of the inte (den. S. S. Henkle and daughter of the late Maxthew Gault and Juliet Weston

McKERVER, On Monday, December 27, 1915, at her residence, 1225 B street southeast, JULIA McKEEVER, aged eightysone years. Requiem mass at the Church of the Holy Com-forter Thursday, December 39, at 9 a.m. In-terment at Bonnie Brae, Baltimore, Md. 20-

expedition had become divided into factions, called McClureites and anti-McClureites, over the criticisms of President Wilson's message, he decided

his services were needed no longer, and he was transferred at Kirkwall to the Stockholm by the courtesy of the

the Stockholm by the courtesy of the harbormaster.

Mr. Bermann said that Mr. Ford was night reads:
The enemy this morning sprung a mine opposite our line southeast of Hohenzollern redoubt. We have consolidated the edge of the crater.

Our artillery bombarded the hostile trenches south of the Lille-Armentieres rallway with good effect. The enemy replied vigorously, but caused little damage.

The stockholm by the courtesy of the harbormaster.

The auto man was not seriously ill when the Oscar II reached Kirkwall. The auto man was reserved, and did not take any side in the oral skirmishes which occurred daily at the meetings on board, but he usually was seen at meal times. The board was closed officially at 11:30 o'clock at night, but frequently there were sessions behind closed doors until 4:30 o'clock in the morning at the request of the Skaal Club, which was formed o'clock in the morning at the request of the Skaal Club, which was formed on the ship after leaving New York.

SMITH. On Monday December 27, 1915, at 10:20.

We chesday, December 29, 1915, at 1 p.m., to a stend the funeral of our late brother. We have do daily at the meetings on board, but he usually was seen at meal times. The brother are southeast, Mrs. ROSE A. QUIGLEY. We denesday, December 20, 1915, at 1 p.m., to a stend the funeral of our late brother. We have does did not take any side in the oral skirmishes which occurred daily at the meetings on board, but he usually was seen at meal times. The brother at 30 o'clock, at her residence. 138 F street southeast, Mrs. ROSE A. QUIGLEY. We chesday, December 29, 1915, at 1 p.m., to a street which occurred the funeral of our late brother. We thended any production of the funeral of our late brother. We thended any stend the funeral of our late brother. We thended any other the funeral of our late brother. We have headed any side in the control of our late brother. We have headed any side in the doubten. The late Michael St. 1915, at 3:30 o'clock at her residence. 138 F street southeast, Mrs. ROSE A.

J. Swearingen, Al the home of her son, Thomas J. Swearingen, Gathesville, Fla., December 23, 1915, FRANCES JANE, widow of the late Thomas A. Swearingen of Georgia and mother of Henry H. and the late Scott A. Swearin-gen of Washington, D. C., in her eighty-sev-enth year. WADDEY. On Tuesday, December 28, 11 ner residence, 704 Maryland avenue nor LAURA F. WADDEY, beloved mod Jennie E. Waddey, votice of funeral hereafter.

As many as 40,000 words were sent in UNG. Suddenly, on Tuesday, December 2 1915, at his residence, 1813 34th street north west, THOMAS C. YOUNG, (beloved husban of Bertha Young (nee Coulcy) and devote father of Thomas, Gladys and Calvin Young in his thirty-seventh year.

"May be rest in peace. "Gone, but not forgotten,"
BY HIS WIFE AND CHILDREN,

go today,

"Servant of God, well done,
Rest from thy love implore,
The battle fought, the victory won,
Into thy master's joy,
BY THE CHILDREN.

LASCOCKE. In sad and loving remembrance of my dear husband, GROVER CLEVELAND GLASCOCKE, who died one year ago today, December 28, 1914. BY HIS WIFE.

IERBERT. Loving is the memory of our dear father and grandfather, SYDNEY W. HER-BERT, who passed away so suddenly three years ago today, December 28, 1912. EDITH AND ELSIE NEWMAN.

MAHONEY. In loving remembrance of our dear father, WILLIAM T. MAHONEY, wir entered into spirit life one year ago today BY HIS CHILDREN, WILLIAM W. MAHONEY AND MRS, WILLIAM W. DAVIS.

BY HER LOVING NIECE AND NEPHEW, JEN NIE AND GEORGE WILLIAMS.

SWEENEY. In sad and loving temembrance of our dear aunt, MARGARET A. SWEENEY, who died one year ago today, December 28, 1914. BY HER FAMILY.

WIDMER. In loving remembrance of our devoted mother, ANNIE WIDMER, who departed this life one year ago today. December 2, 1914.

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